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 Kouznetsov et al.) Group Art Unit: 2143
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 Serial No. 09/740,617) Examiner: Mitra Kianersi
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 Filed: December 18, 2000))
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10 For: System And Method For Distributing Portable)
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